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## Wisdom's Goal.\*

BY HER MAJESTY, THE EMPRESS OF JAPAN.

The water placed in goblet, bowl or cup,  
Changes its form to its receptacle ;  
And so our plastic souls take various shapes  
And characters of good or ill, to fit  
The good or evil in the friends we choose.  
Therefore, be ever careful in your choice of friends,  
And let your special love be given to those  
Whose strength of character may prove the whip  
That drives you ever to fair Wisdom's Goal.

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## The Paper.

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IN the first number of STUTE, the student body was asked to give to the editors and the paper its support and assistance. Proof of deep interest was abundantly shown upon the initial appearance of the paper and indications of a continued interest are not lacking. May we be permitted in this article to point out more or less definitely some of the ways in which individuals can help make STUTE a paper worthy of our Institute and its reputation ?

When our first number appeared we solicited your subscription for the volume and the ready response of faculty and students has been extremely gratifying. We hope and expect to justify your confidence in us. The subscriber then has made the first move to support the paper, he has become part of our audience and to the amount of the subscription price at least, is interested in the paper's failure or success. It seems to us that almost every man in the Institute should be willing to support the paper to the extent of subscribing for it at least. So much for the disposition of the finished product and now for its manufacture. Athletics appeal to many fellows and the work of the musical clubs to others; do you not think that perhaps you would enjoy doing newspaper work? The paper offers an opportunity of doing something for the Institute, to men who perhaps care little for athletics or the clubs. The paper needs news gatherers

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in all branches and departments of Institute life. The paper needs the services of the man who can write up an interview or "cover" an assignment. It needs the man with poetic ability and the man with a sense of humor. It needs the man with ideas. Moreover it needs the man who will even *try* to do the work outlined above. Speak to one or another of the editors or let us have your name or work via the letter rack. We will criticise your work of course, but just criticism does no harm. And if you *can* write, but haven't ideas, perhaps we can find for you a man with *ideas*. Please don't wait to be asked to do things, if you have anything you think we can use, get our opinion on it. "STUTE" is a *college* institution so long only as it is the product of many men's brains. Two men or three men cannot evolve a paper which will be representative of a student body of three or four hundred.

But there is much work to be done on "STUTE" which is not at all literary in character. We refer to the business side of the paper's work. Naturally this is of importance to us. But the ability to talk business to a business man is of great value to anyone. If you are self-possessed and persistent enough now to be successful, we need your assistance; if you feel you lack these qualities, don't you think you will be better able to succeed when you graduate if you have them; why won't you let us help you to acquire them by showing you how the trick is done? Your name in a note to us on the letter rack will be a sign that you're willing.

It is remarkable how much more a college course means to the man who has spent some of his effort and time for a team or a club—or the paper. That man can't help but have a deeper feeling for Stevens and must be by so much the broader, deeper man.

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## Calendar.

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FRIDAY, OCT. 7.—Engineering Society, first meeting, at the Hall of Carnegie Laboratory, 4:10 P. M.

Glee Club Rehearsal, Prof. Kroeh's Room, 4:10 P. M.

SATURDAY, OCT. 8.—Varsity—Rensselaer Football Game, Troy, N. Y.

Varsity vs. Crescent A. C., Practice Lacrosse Game, Bay Ridge, 3:30 P. M.

Prep.—J. C. High School Football Game, Cricket Grounds, 9 A. M.

MONDAY, OCT. 10.—Organization of Banjo Club. Prof. Denton's Room, 4:10 P. M.

Mandolin Club Rehearsal, Prof. Kroeh's Room, 4:10 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 12.—1906 Class Meeting, election of officers. Prof. Kroeh's Room, 4:10 P. M.

Prep.—Hackensack H. S. Football Game, Cricket Grounds, 3:30 P. M.

## The Rutgers Game.

THE game last Saturday was the finest exhibition of Football seen at *Stevens* in six years. We lost, but what of that.

A goal from the field is always a matter of luck, and we were much nearer to a touchdown than Rutgers ever thought of being. The line-up was as follows:

### RUTGERS.

MacNeill	Left end
Brogger	Left tackle
Watson	Left guard
Sharp	Center
Angus	Right guard
Koehler	Right tackle
Murry	Right end
Weaver	Quarter-back
Holsten	Left half-back
Fisher	Right half-back
Cobb (Capt.)	Full-back

### STEVENS.

Comstock, Johnston
Knight, Snyder
Mudge
Lewis
Cowenhoven
Kaltwasser (Capt.)
Hagen
Roberts
Mathews
Pinkney
Pratt

A. L. Lockwood, formerly of '05, refereed the game.

Almost every man on the team called forth a cheer at one time or another. The most sensational play was Pinkney's long run. From the stand it looked as though he had made a touchdown. On the next play the pig-skin was forced to within a few feet of the line when the game was called. Well, sir, we call that hard luck. The second half was rather tame, the ball remaining around the center of the field all the time. About the middle of the half, Weaver made a beautiful goal from the field which made the score 4-0 in favor of the visitors. Though both sides worked hard, nothing further was accomplished. Coach McClave said after the game, "I was very well pleased with the way the team played. There was plenty of snap and as soon as the boys have a good scrub to line up against they will develop a better defense."

President Humphreys and Professors Riesenberger, Ganz, and Pond were present but the rest of the faculty was conspicuous by its absence. We were glad to see a number of alumni present.

There is no doubt that the Institute will be represented by a strong team this Fall. Never before have the prospects been so bright. A promising point is the large number of candidates for the team; there being on an average twenty-six men on the field each afternoon. There are a number of big men trying for positions on the line, and competition for positions back of the line is strong. The Freshmen are evincing much interest in the team and we are glad to see so many of them trying for positions. To quote the coach: "There is one thing we must not lose sight of and that is that the scrub makes the team. You cannot produce a winning team with a weak scrub."



## The Musical Clubs.

Do you play a musical instrument or sing? If you do we want you. Last year's musical clubs established a standard that will be hard to surpass. But if all those who are musically inclined (or think they are) come out and help, the clubs this year ought to be the best yet. We do not ask you to give up much of your time. One afternoon a week will be sufficient after the clubs get into running order. In return for this we give you a good time that costs you absolutely nothing as all your expenses are paid. Remember that to make the clubs a success it is necessary to have a large number of men out for each club. There will be four clubs; the Glee, Mandolin, and Banjo Clubs, and the Orchestra.

Scofield '06 will lead the Glee Club of which Horton '05 is president. The club will meet this afternoon in Prof. Kroeh's room.

Deppeler '06 is the leader of the Mandolin Club, Van Nortwick '06 being president. The first rehearsal will be Monday afternoon in Prof. Kroeh's room.

The Banjo Club of which Condit '05 is the leader and Lydecker '05 is President will rehearse for the first time on Monday afternoon in Prof. Denton's room.

During the season of 1902-03, the Stevens Orchestra was organized with a membership of six men. During the past season it had a membership of eleven men and for the coming year an even larger membership is expected.

The orchestra has all the advantages which the other musical clubs have, and a few more besides. Instead of memorizing pieces, notes are used, and consequently fewer rehearsals are necessary. The man who can play any instrument from a jewsharp to a bass drum, is urged to come out and try for the orchestra. Date of trials will be announced later. Those wishing to join, hand names to Hegeman '05.

If you try, there is no reason why you can not make one or more of these clubs. Remember that it costs you nothing and that you have a good time, so come out and try.

GEO. W. KNIGHT, Manager.

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### BOOTLIQUE.

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JONES TO LADY LEAVING CHURCH:—"I noticed that each time Satan was mentioned you bowed and—"

LADY:—"Y-e-s—You see it doesn't cost anything to be polite, and one cannot always tell—"

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**WANTED—20 able-bodied men** to play on the scrub. CRUTHERS, Captain of Scrub.

## Athletic Association.

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THIS notice is written in the hope of attracting to the Athletic Association the attention of the Underclassmen, particularly Freshmen. It is hoped that they will act upon the advice given below in a manner befitting true college men.

The organization of the Stevens Institute of Technology Athletic Association is similar to that of the associations in every other college of the country. The Association's membership is made up of the undergraduates of Stevens Institute, all the athletics of the Institute are under its control judicially, and the Varsity Teams are under its control, both judicially and financially. Now, class teams, etc., go far to promote class spirit, but to the outside world Stevens Institute is known, athletically, by the teams which she places in the field to compete with other college teams. Therefore it should be the earnest endeavor of everyone to have placed in the field the very best team possible. There are two ways of helping a team. One of them is by going out and trying to make a place on a team. All of us, however, are not capable of even trying for a team. The other way, then, is to lend every encouragement possible to the team, by trying to get other men to go out for the team, and by attendance at the practice, and at the game. But even with enough men out, money is absolutely necessary for a successful team. Clothes must be bought, coaches hired, and all the other numerous expenses must be met. This all requires money. Here is an opportunity for every one to help. The S. I. T. A. A. is the financial backer of every Varsity Team. Therefore by belonging to the Athletic Association you are directly supporting the teams.

Some persons may ask (they can scarcely be called true college men), "What do I get out of it?" The price of the membership ticket is \$3.00. This gives you a vote in the Athletic Association, and admits you free to all Football and Lacrosse games held in Hoboken for one year. As the price of admission to a single game is fifty cents you can readily see that you are saving money by buying a ticket.

In conclusion, let me again urge everyone in the Freshman class to join the Association. The tickets are for sale by the treasurer, Hausmann '05.



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## Lacrosse.

SHORTLY after the opening of the Institute it was learned that Capt. Richards would be unable to be with us this year. It is needless to say that this is a big blow to Stevens, as everyone who is at all interested in Lacrosse knows how much we depended upon him.

In order to elect a new captain a meeting of all last year's players still in college was held September 30th, and Davis '06 was elected. Davis will certainly receive the co-operation of not only the members of the team but of the entire student body.

Fall practice begins Monday afternoon, October 3rd, and this will be the chance for each one to show that he is willing to help make the coming season a big success. It doesn't make any difference whether you have played Lacrosse or not. Come down to the Cricket Grounds and get in the game. We want a big crowd of both players and onlookers to show up at every practice. There is nothing that helps practice more than a crowd to encourage the players.

In conjunction with the Fall lacrosse practice, a game has been arranged with the Crescent A. C. at Bay Ridge, Long Island, for Saturday, October 8th, at 3:30 P. M. Other Fall practice games will probably be arranged in order that the men will derive the greatest benefit from the Fall work.

E. H. BEDELL, Manager.

## Link.

### A Hunch for 1908.

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THE first thing for a man to do upon being placed by fortune in a new position is to familiarize himself with his surroundings, whether they be those of a palace or a work-house.

The Freshman Class, to whom these words are addressed, must decide for itself which of these two the Institute most resembles, but in this a great aid is offered in the shape of the "Link of 1904."

The "Link" is the college annual, published under the auspices of the Junior Class, and now in its fifteenth volume.

The Class of 1908 is the largest in the history of the Institute, and should take a position of importance corresponding to its size; but in order for it to do so its members must be thoroughly posted on the traditions and customs of the Institute, the make-up and deeds of the preceding classes and the character and peculiarities of the Faculty.

If *you*, as an enterprising and live Freshman, are interested in knowing what 1907 has done in the rushes, cane sprints, etc.; when and where they occur; what the other classes and the 'Varsity are doing in football and lacrosse; who the officers and members of the Athletic Association are; what the 'Stute field records are, and who holds them; when the 'Varsity held the lacrosse championship last—get a "Link" and you will find out.

Or perhaps you wish to know the Hoboken addresses of some of the men in college; how many musical clubs there are, and who is in them; what the "Indicator" is; what is done at Commencement; what and when the various college dances are; what the toasts at the Sophomore dinners are like; what the Calculus Cremation is: or you would like to find out about the Social, Engineering, or Photographic Society; the Yacht, Tennis or Western Club; perhaps you would like to learn the "Mechanical Engineer" song, and have some one play it for you, so that at the Smoker you can sing it as well as the Sophs; or you may want to read some good whole-souled roasts on the Faculty, and learn what the nicknames of its members are; or you would like to know the colors and yells of the other classes—in a word, if you want to become a Stevens man in the shortest time possible as well as to have a book that it will be a pleasure to own, buy a "Link."

They will be on sale in the lower hall, or you can get one from Phil. Price One Dollar.

"LINK BOARD OF 1904."



## Engineering Society.

As announced in the last issue of "STUTE" our first regular meeting of the year will be held in the Carnegie Lab. Hall at 4:10 P. M. this afternoon. After consideration it seems best to extend an invitation to the Juniors to join at this time instead of at some later date. In doing this the Society hopes to be able to more quickly settle upon plans for the coming month and at the same time give to the Juniors the advantage and pleasure of being with us from the start.

We again repeat our invitation to Seniors who are not members to attend this first meeting and connect themselves as co-workers with us.

If you have any ideas bring them with you.

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### OBITUARY.

'Midst the hurry of our first week of College came to us the sadness of the death, on September 25, 1904, of Carl Fanning Eicks of the Class of 1902. Members of the present Senior Class being the only students now in the Institute with whom a personal acquaintance was held, a few words of commendation to those students to whom he was unknown will suffice.

Carl F. Eicks was born in 1880. He graduated from the public schools of New York City among the highest in merit in his class. In September, 1895, he came to Stevens School from which he graduated in 1898 winning a scholarship for the Institute. While at the Institute his admirable gentlemanliness as a conscientious student won for him the love and respect of both professors and students. During his junior year he was elected, with the first of his class, to Tau Beta Pi, of which he was secretary during the following year. In his Freshman and Sophomore years he was Class Secretary, and during his Senior year Vice-President of the Engineering Society. After graduation he went to Denver, Colorado, to accept a position with a tin plate company but returned shortly after owing to some misrepresentation. He then accepted a position with the "Jones Underfeed Stoker Co." as salesman in their New York office. Later he was made one of their representatives in their main office in Montreal. Owing to ill health, caused by the severe climate, he again returned to New York and accepted employment with the C. W. Hunt Co. of West New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y. The gradual failure of his health made it necessary for him to give up this position and seek a change and rest. In March last he went to Liberty, N. Y. For a short time he improved, but early in September he began to fail more rapidly. After his lingering illness, so courageously and patiently borne, he expired at Liberty, N. Y.

## Prep. Notes.

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There was no game last Saturday owing to the fact that Montclair M. A. found it impossible to get to Hoboken.

To-morrow the team will line up against their old rivals from Jersey City High School. The Prep. team is in fine condition now and everybody should go to this game. So far the schedule for the season stands as follows :

	Oct.	4, Tues.	—Montclair Field Club—Hoboken
?	"	8, Sat.	—Jersey City High School—Hoboken
	"	12, Wed.	—Hackensack H. S.—Hackensack
	"	15, Sat.	—
?	"	18, Tues.	—Bloomfield H. S.—Hoboken
	"	22, Sat.	—Montclair H. S.—Montclair
?	"	27, Thurs.	—Webb Academy—Hoboken
	"	29, Sat.	—
?	Nov.	1, Tues.	—Horace Mann
	"	2, Wed.	—Newark Academy—Orange Oval
	"	5, Sat.	—East Orange H. S.—Hoboken
?	"	8, Tues.	—Morristown School—Hoboken
	"	12, Sat.	—Montclair M. A.—Montclair
?	"	15, Tues.	—Pratt H. S.—Hoboken
?	"	19, Sat.	—Horace Mann—Hoboken
?	"	22, Tues.	—Cutler School—Hoboken.

NOTE—Those dates marked with a question mark have not been finally decided.

The School has secured Mr. Hendricson, formerly of Princeton, to coach the team.

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## Class Notes.

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On Monday afternoon, October 3rd, both Freshmen and Sophomore Classes elected their officers. Those in the Sophomore Class were elected for the ensuing year while the Freshmen selected only temporary men to serve for about two months. The election in '07 were: H. Von Vittinghoff, Pres., H. W. Adams, Vice Pres., H. C. Dienst, Treas., A. M. Norris, Sec., M. P. Spenser, Foot Ball Manager, W. H. Correa, Lacrosse Manager and S. Slater, Basket Ball Manager.

The temporary officers of '08 are B. W. Mathews. Pres., B. Watts. Treas., G. D. Thayer. Foot Ball Manager.



## Smokes.

I agree with you. The man you need for your class-president is the fellow who is a representative man. If you're a Junior or a Senior I'll leave it to your judgment. If you're a Freshman or a Soph you want an athlete who is also wise; at least wise enough to leave "cons" and "advised to withdraw" reports alone.

You've heard of those graduates who get a job and then proceed to rush around the manager's end with the ball tucked under their arms; who spend most of their time trying long-distance kicks from the 30-yard line in an endeavor to raise the score on their pay envelopes. Those fellows—much like some of our recent class presidents—are not the kind that make good. They lose their jobs. We can't all score touchdowns on the Faculty, but it's the man who can that you want for president. The fellow who can take his class to victory in the inter-class contests of November, beat the first semester exams to death in January, become a factor in lacrosse during the spring and weigh out good in June, that is the type you are looking for. Find him; vote for him.

COSY CORNER.

## This and That.

A story is told of a certain person of rather "Hebrewic" tendencies, residing at New Bedford, Mass. It is related that he went out rowing one day, and about three hours afterward was observed, seated in the bow of his boat laboriously paddling up stream with one oar. Upon coming to the dock, one of the loungers called out:

"What's the matter, Ikey?"

"Ach!" was the reply, "such trouble as I haf had. I lost my shylocks, und I don't know how to wiggle behind."—H.

## LECTURE CLIPPING.

PROFESSOR.—"Now a Hoboken trolley car put into service in Russia would work all right."

FROM THE REAR SEAT.—"Better put it in Germany, 'twould feel more at home." G. H.

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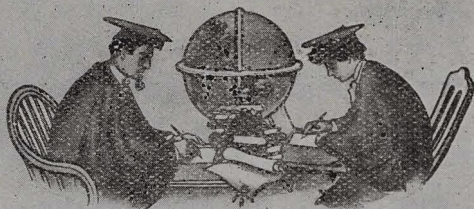
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